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ligious or Political.-Thos. Jefferson.

SUNDAY, NOV. 30, 1890.

## RARE EXAMPLES.

It isn't usual that a man thinks his salary is high enough, and refuses an increase. Usually men put so great a value upon their services that, however much they receive, they feel like they ought to have more. It is said that HORACE GREELEY once successfully resisted a proposed increase in his salary, alleging that he did not think the paper could afford to pay it. President Bliss, of the Boston and Albany Railroad, has just refused an increase of pay from \$12,000 to \$20,000 a year, for the reason that he does not consider his services worth so much.

It may be stated that in these two rare instances both the gentlemen were already receiving salaries much larger than any man can really earn by his own thought or labor.

## ASHAMED OF THEIR ACTION.

The papers are having a great deal of amusement over the fact that in Kansas the Farmers' Alliance elected Mr. J. A. McKay, who has never studied law a day, to the position of Judge, and that now they have contributed enough money to send him to Ann Harbor to study law for sixty days before he goes on the bench. We see nothing in this incident for merriment, but much for sadness. It is sad that well-meaning men will be led by blind prejudice into boycotting able and learned jurists and putting an unlearned man into the responsible position of Judge. It is a reflection upon the bar, which is not warranted, and thoughtful Alliancemen are already ashamed of it.

APPROPOS of a prediction which COL. ROBERT G. INGERSOLL made ten years ago, CHAPLAIN McCABE sent the following note to the doughty unbeliever the other day: "Dear Colonel: Ten years ago you made the following prediction: 'Ten years from this time two theatres will be built for one church.' The time is up. The Methodists are now building four churches every day—one for every six hours. Please venture upon another prediction for the year 1890."

TALKING about big collections for the orphans on Thanksgiving Day, Main street Methodist church in Durham heads the list. Its collection reached the sum of \$500, and was sent to the Oxford Orphan Asylum, and will make many a boy and girl warm and happy. The collections for all the asylums on Thanksgiving Day throughout the State were large and indicated a spirit of liberality upon the part of our people.

YESTERDAY'S CHRONICLE contained an error which is probably the most glaring ever committed by this paper. We put GEO. A. JONES, Esq., Solicitor elect in the twelfth district, as a Republican, whereas he is not only a staunch Democrat, and an excellent lawyer, but also one of the truest and purest men in public life in North Carolina.

THE Wilson Advance will publish a daily edition during the session of the Methodist Conference which meets in that town on the 10th of December. It will contain an account of each day's proceedings. Send 25 cents and get it for the whole time.

## A TELLING VIGOROUS FIGHT.

(La Grange Spectator.)

That wide awake and excellent contemporary, the STATE CHRONICLE, made a most telling and vigorous fight during the campaign. It fought Republicanism in its true light and exposed the corruption in it, wherever and whenever found.

## HOME-SPUN YARNS.

(Milton Advertiser.)

Quite a romantic marriage took place at Pleasant Grove, on the A. & D. railroad, on Monday. The groom, who resides near Pleasant Grove, was 83 years old; the bride, a resident of Boynton, was about 85 years old and is level-headed. She wished to get married, and as the man whose choice she was was rather too old and infirm to come after her, she went to Pleasant Grove, where he met her. As soon as she stepped from the train the groom, with remarkable spryness, rushed up and kissed her and then led her to a store near by, where they were soon made one, and went their way rejoicing.

The report which was started in Richmond, that the Richmond & Danville railroad had sold its interest in the Norfolk & Carolina, to the Atlantic Coast Line, seems to be without any foundation. W. G. Elliott Esq., president of the N. & C. says he knows nothing of it, and the Secretary of the company says there has been no transfer of stock. —Nashville Argonaut.

## ARE THE PREACHERS PAID?

(Statesville Landmark.)

It is getting along toward the end of the calendar year. This church year of one of the leading denominations of our State has just closed and that of another one is about closing. Have the preachers been paid up? They are promised but a pittance and if they are paid every cent of it they are still on short commons. It is a scandal to their charges if the beggarly sums pledged them are not paid. We mention this matter because at this period, when so many strolling ministers are doing so well in a worldly way, we wouldn't have these humbler, every day men of God forgotten. They are with us from year to year and are our every day friends; they baptize our children, bury our dead, comfort us in our affliction and from Sunday to Sunday point out the way of life. They are the bulwark of society; they hold our civilization together. Their influence is continuously with us for good, and while the birds of passage come occasionally and turn the world upside down, we owe the preservation of our dearest interests, temporal as well as spiritual, to those unpretending ministers who, like the balance of the poor, are always with us. Let them not be forgotten in our giving.

## IT WAS SETTLED AT THE POLLS.

(Webster's Weekly.)

It seems to us that if there was one thing above another that the people of North Carolina were capable of voting upon intelligently, it was the question of whether or not Vance should succeed himself in the Senate. He was an important issue in the campaign, and his merits and demerits were fully discussed previous to the election. Many county conventions instructed for him, while other candidates for the Legislature who were uninstructed declared themselves for him. His re-election was thus made as much an issue in the canvass as any of the planks of the Democratic platform. The people declared by an overwhelming majority that they wanted him continued in the Senate, and there the matter should have ended.

## A PROTEST AGAINST INJUSTICE.

(Statesville Landmark.)

We protest against casting suspicion upon honorable gentlemen in this matter—the senatorial question. An honest man, offered a nomination coupled with instructions, would have declined it had he not purposed obeying the instructions. That he will obey them is to be assumed, and to assume or suspect the contrary is unjust and unfair. Too great zeal about this business is not judicious. When a man whose whole life's course gives warrant to the belief that he can be depended upon, makes a declaration or gives a promise, that should be enough. He has a right to exemption from suspicion, and we protest against "aggravating" him by manifestation of uneasiness lest he should perjure himself.

## Dr. Holmes' Creed.

While in my simple gospel creed That "God is Love" so plain I read, Shall dreams of heathen birth afflict My pathway through the coming night? Ah, Lord of life, though specters pale Fill with their threats the shadowy vale, With Thee my faltering steps to aid, How can I dare to be afraid? Is there a world of blank despair, And dwells the Omnipotent there? Does he behold with smile serene The souls of that unending scene, Where sleepless, hopeless anguish lies, And, ever dying, never dies? Say, does he hear the sufferer's groan, And is that child of wrath his own? O mortal, wavering in thy trust, Lift thy pale forehead from the dust! The mist that cloud thy darkened eyes! When the blind heralds of despair Would bid thee doubt a Father's care, Look up from earth, and read above On heaven's blue tablet, "God is Love!" —Dr. Oliver Wendell Holmes, in the Atlantic Monthly.

## WINSTON-SALEM NEWS.

Mr. Peter M. Wilson, suggested as the Head of The N. C. Exhibit at Chicago. (Special Cor. of STATE CHRONICLE.)

WINSTON, N. C., Nov. 29.—Yesterday afternoon the track of the Roanoke and Southern railroad was laid into Stoneville, Rockingham county. A tremendous crowd of people from the great back country gathered there to "make the welkin ring" and see another reason to give thanks.

The completion of this road to Stoneville gives Winston another beautiful sister town and connects it with one of the most prosperous farming sections of the State. Stoneville is a small village but is situated upon a level plateau which gives it the chance to grow several miles in width and length before a hill will have to be encountered. It is about seven miles from the Virginia line and is backed up by fine mineral properties and one of the best tobacco belts in Western North Carolina.

Conductor Johnson informs me that the road will be completed to Price's Store, which is within a half a mile of the Virginia line, by Dec 5th.

The able article written for the CHRONICLE by Mr. Peter M. Wilson, of this city, upon the North Carolina exhibit at the World's Fair should be read by every public-spirited man in this State. Just here let me say that, if North Carolina does want an exhibit that will do honor to this great State let her secure the services of Mr. Peter M. Wilson, of this city, to have charge of the same. The zeal which he has heretofore exhibited in such undertakings of vital importance marks him as the man for that position. Not because he is a Winston man, nor because he has written that article, but because he is the right man for such a responsible position.

M. VICTOR.

Mr. W. F. Tomlinson, editor of Asheville County Homes (Alliance organ of Western North Carolina) is a candidate for Engraving Clerk of the House. A friend writes the CHRONICLE: "Mr. Tomlinson's paper did more for the election of Crawford than any other agency. Ewart was posing as an Alliance man, and that, if a member, the Alliance that admitted him ought to have its charter revoked. This action and support in other ways did great good. I understand that Mr. Tomlinson wants to be Engraving Clerk of the House. He ought to have it, or anything else he wants."

## "FULL DRESS."

(Rev. R. C. Reed, Presbyterian Pastor in Charlotte Writing from Saratoga to the Charlotte Chronicle.)

"For the Benefit of the Humane Society, a Hop at Congress Hall. Full Dress required." Such is the way the advertisement reads. Having left my swallow tail at home, of course I cannot contribute to the Humane Society. It is not easy to see how the conventional claw-hammer is any more full dress than the Prince Albert. But something harder to see why the conventional female co-tailor for the ball room should be called full dress. The unsophisticated would say that it is anything else but full. It is sufficiently full at the bottom, but, it stops quite a distance short of the top. As I am precluded from being an eye witness for the want of a proper rig, I can't do better than quote from Josiah Allen's wife. She attended a full dress ball at the "States," and gave her experience in "Samantha at Saratoga." A friend, Mrs. Flaum, sent for her to come up to her room and inspect the dress she was to wear. "As she kinder craned herself before the glass, a lookin' at her back (most the whole length of it bare, as I am a livin' creature) she says, 'How do you like my dress?'"

"Oh, says I, the skirts are beautiful, but I can't judge how the whole dress looks, you know, till you get your waist on!"

"My waist?" says she.

"Yes," says I.

"I have got it on," says she.

"Where is it?" says I, as looking at her closer through my specks, "where is the waist?"

"Here," says she, a pinton' to a pink belt ribbon and a string of beads over each shoulder.

Says I, "Mrs. Flaum do you call that a waist?"

"Yes," says she, "and I don't believe there will be a dress showa to-night more stylish and beautiful than mine."

Says I, "do you tell me, Mrs. Flaum, that you are a goin' down into that crowd of promiscuous men and women, with nothin' on but them strings to cover you? Do you tell me that and you a professor and a Christian?"

"Yes," says she, "this is the very height of fashion."

Says I, in wither'n and burnin' scorn, "it is the height of immodesty."

Josiah Allen was seated on the piazza watching the gay and gorgeous throng. Looking down over the railing "onto some more wimmen a passin' beneath, sez he, 'never did I see what I have see here to-night.' "Not," sez he dreamily, "sense I waz a baby."

All protests against such expositions are set down to the account of prudery, and the dear women whose delicate modesty can't bear the slightest improper suggestion, can put even the hard face of man to the bush if fashion demands it.

## PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Maj. J. J. Yates has returned to the practice of law in Murfreesboro. Since the expiration of his Congressional term he has been living in Washington City.

It is reported that ex-Governor Thos. J. Jarvis has been approached and urged to become a candidate for the United States Senate, but he flatly refused to listen to such a proposition. —Milton Advertiser.

The Smithfield Herald says "that in the legislative quadrangle soon to form in Raleigh the Herald hopes that Thomas H. Sutton, of Cumberland county, will be made not exactly 'master of ceremonies,' but leader (Speaker) of the 'band,' or rather place him in the position to say who shall speak."

The Reflector nominates Col. Harry Skinner for Speaker of the next House of Representatives. Col. Skinner is one of the most eloquent men we ever listened to, is educated, a thinker, a fine business man and shrewd politician. He will honor any position to which he may be chosen. —Washington Gazette.

Capt. M. C. Toms at the fight of Bentonville in this State, when the Confederates charged the Yankees and drove them from their breastworks, found a violin on one of the bankmen. He shipped it to his home, and has kept it ever since. It is a remona violin — Hendersonville Guide.

Rev. Baylus Cade, of Louisburg, has been tendered the editorship of the Progressive Farmer, and he tells us that he will probably take charge next week. The Times congratulates the readers of that paper upon this accession to its staff. We are also glad to state that Mr. Cade will remain a citizen of Louisburg, and that his acceptance of this position will not interfere with his pastorate of the Baptist church here. —Louisburg Times.

Mr. Frank Meisman, a farmer of China Grove, Rowan county, was run over and killed by a train Wednesday. He was driving in a covered wagon which prevented his seeing the train, and he was instantly killed and his wagon shattered into a thousand pieces.

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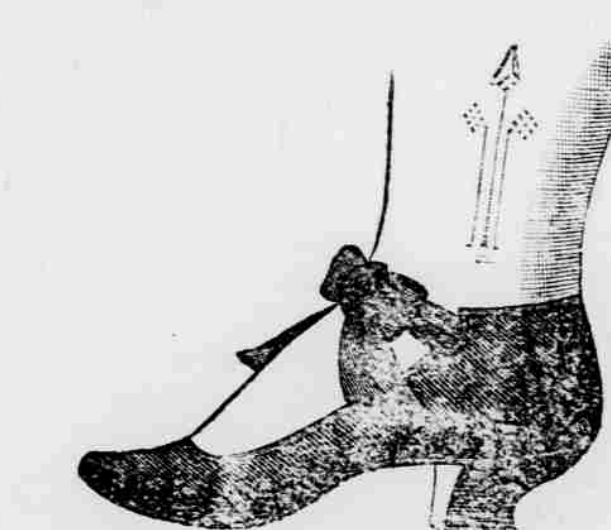
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LAMP.

PICTURES.

And other articles too numerous to mention.

## Mortgage Sale.

By virtue of authority conferred in a certain mortgage, executed by Graves Blackwell and wife, and recorded in Book 110, on Wake county, we will, on Monday, December 1st, A. D. 1890, at 12 o'clock m., at the Court House door in Raleigh, sell to the highest bidder for cash, a tract of land situated in the village of Oberlin, adjoining the lands of Henry Litchford, Alexander Morgan, Alexander Seers and others, containing 4 1/2 of an acre, more or less, and more fully described in said deed of mortgage.

Oct. 31st, 1890. PEELE &amp; MAYNARD,

Attorney for Mortgagee.

## Mortgage Sale.

By virtue of authority conferred in a certain mortgage, executed by Albert H. Scott and wife, and recorded in Book 105, on Wake county, we will, on Saturday, the 20th day of December, A. D. 1890, at 12 o'clock m., at the Court House door in Raleigh, sell to the highest bidder for cash, a tract of land situated in the village of Oberlin, adjoining the lands of M. F. Bathelet, W. A. Burton, Calvin F. Beck and others, containing 100 1/2 acres, more or less, and more fully described in said deed of mortgage.

This 19th day of November, 1890.

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